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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—A team of Horses for sale or exchange for lighter horses. They weigh about 1400 lbs. each. Apply to Drs. Hall & Hall Theatre building, Douglas street. oct22 tf

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ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

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mar2 12m R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

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TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

The China and Japan Mail to be Sorted at Vancouver.

An Unknown Steamer Founders ---Sixty Lives Lost.

DOOMED TO DEATH.

SAN JOSE, Oct. 21.—Jos. E. Ramierez, who killed a companion named Acero at a dance, at Almaden Mines, was sentenced this morning and will be hanged December 2nd.

BASE BALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The St. Louis club won this morning's game. Score stood St. Louis, 11; Detroits, 4. The score for the championship now stands Detroits, 7; St. Louis, 3.

STORM IN MEXICO.

GUAYMAS, Mexico, Oct. 22.—The steamer Newbern from Mazatlan has brought full details of the storm along the Sinaloa coast. Over forty lives were lost, and the damage to property is beyond estimation. The cupola of the Mazatlan observatory was blown to pieces, and all the scientific instruments ruined.

CLARA BELLE M'DONALD.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 21.—The case of Mrs. Clara Belle McDonald, who attempted to kill her father-in-law, Dr. R. H. McDonald, President of the Pacific Bank in the Baldwin Hotel last night, came up in the police court to-day. The case was set for Thursday next and defendant admitted to $5000 bail. In the new suit for divorce which Yound McDonald filed last Tuesday, and which was seen to-day, he charges Mrs. McDonald with adultery.

THE O. R. AND N. CO.'S AFFAIRS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The N. P. Railroad directors withdraw their conditions to joint lease of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation property, to which union the Pacific objected and the joint lease is not signed, but questions about legal procedures are understood to be the only ones which yet have been settled. The Northern Pacific board recently voted to unite with the Union Pacific in the lease, but imposed a condition that each company should be responsible for only half of the guaranteed dividends, and the loss of the company should be limited to $250,000 a year for three years. These restrictions have been withdrawn and the Northern Pacific directors have voted in effect to unite with the Union Pacific in joint and several leases of the Oregon Company's property.

ARCHBISHOP SEGHER'S BODY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 21.—When the Revenue Cutter Bear left St. Michaels in September, Capt. Healey was not able to bring the body of the murdered Archbishop Seghers to port for burial, owing to the fact that permission had not been obtained from the Treasury Department. That obstacle has now been removed by an order from Secretary Fairchild directed to Captain Healy. The secretary authorizes the conveyance of the remains to any spot which may be designated for burial. Prior to the departure of His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, the matter will be laid before him and his views ascertained as to whether the body will be interred at Victoria or elsewhere. At present the remains are encased in a coffin covered with sheet iron and deposited in an old Russian church at St Michael's. Capt. Healey thinks that either the Bear or Thetis will bring the body from the North this fall.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES.

GLENWOOD, Cal., Oct. 21.—A fire started in the woods here on Sunday evening and has been burning since, doing no serious damage until last night, when it reached W. Waterman's barn and in a few minutes the barn was entirely destroyed. The loss is a thousand dollars, including 25 tons of hay. No insurance. R. Stanfield's sawmill was in great danger; the mill shut down and the men fought the fire to save the mill. Bridges are all gone, and the fire is burning ten miles around.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal., Oct. 21.—There is fire in the woods north of Soquel, on lands owned by F. A. Hihn, and men were sent to extinguish it. It has done much damage to timber. There is fire also between this city and Scott's Valley, which has burned a good many bridges. The Pescadero stage driver this morning reports a great fire in Big Basin, between here and Pescadero. At the latter place all the stores are closed, and everybody is out fighting the fire. The sun is completely hidden from view on account of the smoke.

WITH RED HOT COALS.

GALVESTON, Tex., Oct. 21.—The steamship Comal arrived from New York yesterday. The master of the vessel, Capt. John Risk, reported that during the voyage a coal passer, John H. Graham, had died of over heat and was buried at sea. A coal handler named Riley, who made the trip with Graham, visited the office of the United States Commissioner and made affidavit charging William R. McCullough, chief engineer of the Comal, with the willful murder of Graham. Riley states in his affidavit that when four days out from New York, Graham complained of being sick. Shortly after this Chief Engineer McCullough came in and found Graham laying down, apparently sleeping, whereupon the engineer remarked, "I'll wake you up," and suiting the action to the words, he deliberately took a large shovel and scooping in full red hot coals from the furnace, he poured them over the prostrate form of the sick man, following up the work by beating and abusing Graham as he lay writhing under the burning coals. Riley further swears that within fifteen minutes after the Engineer McCullough had first assaulted Graham, the latter was a corpse. McCullough has been arrested and jailed.

THE ANARCHIST'S CASE.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—At a hearing of the application for writ of error in the case of the Chicago anarchists this morning, Justice Harlan made an order directing that counsel apply for a writ of error directly, so that application might be made at noon to-day. Application to the United States Supreme Court for trial of error in the Chicago anarchists' cases was made in open court shortly after noon to-day by General Prior, on behalf of the condemned prisoners. The court directed Prior to have printed at once parts of the records which presented the questions, and have printed copies ready for submission to the court to-day or early to-morrow morning.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The principal points made by Mr. Tucker were that they challenge the validity of the Illinois law under which the jury was selected, on the ground of repugnancy to the constitution of the United States. The decision of the Illinois state court, it is asserted, was against the constitutional right of trial by an Imperial jury. Also, that upon their trial the Anarchists were compelled by the state court to be witnesses against themselves, which is contrary to the constitution of the United States. The Anarchists being all confined in jail when the sentence was passed they were not allowed to be present nor was their counsel notified to be present, so no opportunity was offered to move in the Supreme Court of Illinois for arrest of judgment and sentence. At the conclusion of Prior's argument, Chief Justice Waite held that the court be furnished with those portions of the records showing that the points raised were really on record. This Mr. Prior agreed to do, and the court said that decision would be ready to be announced Monday next.

TROUBLE FEARED.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 22.—The fear is widespread that there will be an outbreak on the day the seven condemned anarchists ascend the gallows, and that the scenes which follow will make the Haymarket massacre insignificant. The whole district near the jail has been depopulated, owing to a fear that dynamite will be used on Nov. 11th, the day of the execution. Most extensive preparations have already been made by the sheriff and chief of police to provide against any such calamity, but the apprehensions of the public are not allayed.

A MURDERESS CONFESSES.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 22.—Hattie Woolsteen made a full confession last night concerning the murder of Dr. Harlan, which has been wrapped in mystery. On the 5th inst. she was out riding with the doctor. They came to a deserted orchard on the outskirts of the city. He threatened to leave her and go to Colorado. She thereupon shot him dead, drove on to a barn, removed the body to the inside, and then set fire to the place and watched the building burn to the ground.

A LYNCHING.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 22.—At a late hour last night a mob forced its way into jail at Delphi, and took away Amos Green in a wagon for the purpose of lynching him. Green is the supposed murderer of Miss Luella Mabbitt. Nothing definite can be learned regarding the lynching.

HIGHWAY MURDER.

REDDING, Cal., Oct. 22.—George Henderson, who was shot while seated beside the driver on the Redding stage last night died this morning. A man ordered the driver to stop, and at the same time he commenced shooting, frightening the team, which started to run. The robber fired a second shot which struck Henderson through the hand and bowels. Officers are making diligent search for the robber. Thus far there is no clue.

CANADIAN NEWS.

FLOUR FOR SCOTLAND.

MONTREAL, Oct. 22.—A new departure has been made in the export trade of the city. The bark "Jane Kilgour," now loading, is the first vessel that ever has taken a cargo of flour from here. She will carry 6000 sacks of Manitoba strong bakers' flour to Dundee, Scotland.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 22.—The Dominion Government has completed arrangements for the transportation of mails on the new route between Great Britain and Japan, via the Canadian Pacific Railway. Vancouver will be the made the centre under the new arrangement, and all foreign mails coming east and destined for points in the United States and Canada will be distributed from there. The sorting of foreign mails in the course of trans-shipment will be done at Montreal, which will be the other postal terminus on the route.

STEAMER FOUNDERS.

HARBOR SPRINGS, Mich., Oct., 22.—It is reported that a steamer of some description went down near Sault Ste Marie last night and that only 11 out of 75 persons were saved. Nothing definite yet.

APPEAL TO ENGLAND.

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 18.—A formal appeal to the British Government against the action of the Dominion Government in disallowing the provincial railway charter and other acts of the Legislature, which are regarded as violations of the constitution and infringements of provincial rights, has just been received from the Government of Manitoba by the Secretary of War, for transmission to the Queen. The Manitobans are determined to fight the question out to the bitter end and have gone to the highest tribunal.

CALLING A MAN "BOODLER" IS NOT LIBELOUS.

WINDSOR, Oct. 14.—Case of Fleming against Balfour & Echo Printing Co., in Assizes yesterday was of unusual interest. Balfour at a political meeting in the late contest, had referred to the plaintiff as "boodler" Fleming. Balfour admitted the use of the term "boodler" but considered that it was derogatory only in a political sense. It was claimed by Fleming that his reputation had been impugned by being referred to as a "boodler," which term he interpreted as "one who used money to influence elections." He was in the practice of law at Windsor and South Colchester and vicinity for Mr. Balfour's opponent. The trial occupied the whole of the afternoon. The jury, after being out an hour, returned with a verdict for the defendant, holding that the term "boodler" was used during the heat of the campaign in a sort of Pickwickian sense, and did not work any injury to plaintiff worth mentioning or words to that effect.

RATE OF DISCOUNT.

MONTREAL, Oct. 22.—A meeting of bank managers was held yesterday afternoon in the Merchants' Bank with the object of discussing the rate of discount. The proceedings were private and it is understood that no decision was arrived at.

POLITICAL APPOINTMENTS.

MONTREAL, Oct. 22.—It is stated that J. B. Rolland, paper manufacturer, has been appointed to fill the vacancy in the Senate caused by Senator Pendal's death. The selection of Judge Angers as Lieut.-Governor is regarded here as another victory for Sir Hector Langevin, and the feeling of disappointment amongst Hon. Henry Starnes' friends at the result is open and sincere, and it may take some time to heal the political sores that will ensue.

BAZAARS MUST GO.

KINGSTON, Oct. 22.—At yesterday's session of the synod of Ontario, a resolution was adopted requesting the bishop to issue a pastoral condemning the practice of raising church funds by means of raffles, lotteries, bazaars, and other questionable methods.

YUKON EXPEDITION.

Return of Doctor G. M. Dawson to Victoria This Morning.

His Trip Briefly Outlined---A Rich Mineral Country---The Work in Progress.

Dr. G. M. Dawson, Assistant Director of the Dominion Geological service returned to the city this morning and is registered at the Driard. From Juneau he came south on the Ancon to Port Townsend, and from that point to Victoria this morning on the Geo. W. Elder. From the doctor a TIMES representative gathered the following information relative to the Yukon expedition. Leaving Victoria early in May the doctor and his party, as well as the Ogilvie exploratory party, reached Fort Wrangel, from which point they proceeded up the Stikeen river to Cassiar. The doctor's branch of the expedition was in connection with the Geological Department, that of Mr. W. Ogilvie in connection with the Dominion Lands branch, to make an instrumental survey of the country from the sea coast by way of the Lewis river up the Yukon to the 141st meridian, which constitutes the eastern boundary of Alaska. The measurements of Mr. Ogilvie will serve as a basis for further work in the district. The Doctor's mission was to carry out the plan of the exploration, both

GEOGRAPHICAL AND GEOLOGICAL,

and to embrace therein as a district as much of the upper Yukon as possible. Messrs. R. G. McConnell and James McEvoy were his special assistants. The Dawson party proceeded up the Stickeen river as far as Dease Lake where they built three boats. As soon as the ice broke up and left the lake, which was on the 18th of June, later than it ever has been known, they went down the Dease river and into the forks of the Dease and Liard rivers. Here Mr. McConnell separated from the rest of the party, for the purpose of descending and surveying the Laird and the Mackenzie river; the doctor went up the Liard thence by the Frances to Francis Lake which drains into the Liard and not into the Pelly river as shown in most maps and that of that country. From Francis Lake, the party crossed a difficult portage of about 50 miles to the Pelly river. From here the Doctor sent back the five Indians who had accompanied him from the coast, and then proceeded down the Pelly river, accompanied by Mr. McEvoy and Messrs. Lewis and Johnston of Victoria, in a small canvas boat which they had built on reaching Pelly river. At the confluence of

THE PELLY AND LEWIS RIVERS,

Mr. Ogilvie and his party were met. After whipsawing the lumber and building another boat for the purpose, the Dawson party ascended the Lewis river, which, Mr. Ogilvie had already surveyed instrumentally. The Doctor made a geological survey of the country along the Lewis river. Then he crossed the Chilcoot portage to the head of Lynn canal, and came by canoe to Juneau, where, after waiting for a few days, the steamer Ancon was taken for Victoria.

Mr. Ogilvie in separating from the doctor and his party continued down the Yukon river, prosecuting his survey. He intends wintering on that river and resuming his work in the spring, continuing it over to the Mackenzie river. He will return next fall to Winnipeg by way of that stream and the Hudson Bay Co.'s route to Carlton on the Saskatchewan.

Mr. McConnell will probably winter at Fort Simpson, on the Mackenzie river, and continue his explorations from that point next summer.

RESULT OF THE EXPEDITION.

The expedition so far has secured a great deal of geological, geographical and general information of the country, and it is far from being the Arctic region it is sometimes represented to be. The point from which the Doctor turned back, at the junction of Lewis and Pelly rivers is 1000 miles north of Victoria in latitude. There the flora was found to differ but little from that on the banks of the Fraser in the upper or interior portion of this province, owing to the lesser elevation of the country. There is generally plenty of timber to be found for boat building purposes.

A good deal of open grassy country exists along the streams tributary to the Yukon. No areas of tundra or frozen swamps, such as are reported to be met with in the interior of Alaska were discovered by the expedition. The Indian population is very scant. The country is an excellent one for fur-bearing animals, particularly for the cross, the silver and black foxes, the beaver and other small furs.

THE CASSIAR COUNTRY.

In passing through the Cassiar country it was impossible to do anything else than give it a cursory examination. It is an interesting country and apparently rich in its mineral resources. Efforts ought to be made to develop quartz mining therein on account of access thereto being comparatively easy.

The doctor's conclusion is that the whole country from Cassiar to the vicinity of the Forty-Mile Creek, on the Yukon river, (which must be near the eastern boundary of Alaska) yields more or less gold in placer deposits, constituting it a gold-bearing region fully 500 miles in length, by indefinite width, and which so far, in comparison to the area has been very little prospected. Miners going into the Yukon country should be well provided with supplies in the shape of food, so as not to run out for some time, especially during the winter season. To be safe they must depend on their own resources, for as things now are no provisions except such as are brought in are to be found in the country. Game in the shape of moose, beaver, lynx and such like, is to be found, as are also excellent fish.

The trip is one the doctor enjoyed very much. He is in good health and even in better condition than when he went north in the spring. He will remain a few days in the city prior to going east to Ottawa, where he will prepare his detailed report. The maps he is preparing of that section of the country will also be ready shortly. Until these are completed the doctor will take no other work in hand.

THE UNEMPLOYED.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Lord Mayor has called a meeting to consider means for aiding the unemployed thousands in London.

DE LESSEPS' BROTHER.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The death is announced of Jules DeLesseps, Count Ferdinand DeLesseps' brother.

THE YUKON MINES.

Return of Miners--Many are Unsuccessful.

Mr. Michael Farrabar, Lew Dennison and other Yukon miners arrived in the city to-day on the Elder, having come down on the Ancon to Port Townsend yesterday. Mr. Farrabar brings with him a buck skin half-filled with fine gold procured at Forty-Mile Creek, which is 120 miles below Fort Reliance, on the Yukon. The party of which Mr. Farrabar was one left Juneau on the 24th of March last, going via Chilcoot Pass to the head waters, and thence down the great river on the ice to Lake Labarge, hauling a six months' supply of provisions on hand sleds. This portion of the journey occupied two months, and was a trip of extreme hardship, the snow being very deep. At the foot of Lake Labarge, boats were built, and the balance of the journey was accomplished in nine days. The ice in the river was piled up on the shore to a height of twenty feet in places, but most of the floating ice had disappeared. Forty Mile Creek was reached on the 5th of June, about three weeks after starting. On arriving at the mouth about fifteen miners were found waiting to ascend the creek. The ascent was made in seven days, to a distance of forty miles, where the discovery was made last year. At that time there were fully two hundred miners on the creek, eighty of whom had wintered in the country. In spots for a distance of eighty miles, the bars were worked with more or less success. On the whole creek there were but five paying bars, the Bonanza, Howard Hamilton's, Franklin's, Lansing's and Tom Ashby's. Outside of those named the miners had poor success, few of them making more than grub-stakes. The best paying claims on the Bonanza bar yielded about $2400 in all, or $1200 for each of the two owners. The others ran from $1000 down to $600 per man. About one hundred men came out by Chilcoot Pass and sixty went down the river. On the whole the success of the miners has not been what was expected, and with the exception of the claims named the majority will come out as poor as they went in.

Stewart river is worked out, and the same may be said of Forty Mile Creek. No other diggings were discovered, and the miners who winter there will have to prospect for new ground for next summer.

Wm. Jones and Neil Lamonte were drowned in a canyon on Forty Mile Creek, and a miner named Johnson, and another was drowned at Cleghorn's Riffle. An Indian, who thought his family were drowned, committed suicide by jumping off a rock in the canyon. The party left Forty Mile Creek on the 15th of August and arrived at Juneau on the 20th of September. A portion of the time they lived on flour straight, their other provisions having given out. On the whole Mr. Farrabar is not favorably impressed with the Yukon. The only paying claims yet discovered have been on the bars, which have never paid much more than grub-stakes. Were gulch diggings found the frost would prevent their being worked, as in several instances the bottoms of the creeks were found to be a solid mass of ice. To pay they would have to be of extraordinary richness, and none have yet been discovered.

Messrs. Farrabar and Dennison left for San Francisco to-day, bound for British Guiana to try their luck there.

GOSSIP FROM OTTAWA.

Happenings at the Capital--Gazette Intelligence--Orders-in-Council.

From Ottawa it is learned that a few Canadian officials will accompany Sir Charles to Washington to assist in the preparation of the Canadian case, but no names have been mentioned in this connection. It is understood that a room will be fitted up in the Fisheries Department for the use of such of the commissioners as may visit Ottawa.

Although the American press announce to-day that Mr. Chamberlain will sail for New York and go direct to Washington, it is still believed that he will pay a brief visit to Ottawa before entering on the duties of the commission.

The statement of the government savings banks for August shows deposits during the month of nearly $350,000, and a balance at the credit of depositors of over $21,100,000.

A deputation consisting of Judges Lyon, Chadwick and Freelick waited on Hon. Mr. Thompson, Minister of Justice, last week on behalf of the junior judges of Ontario, and requested that in any proposed rearrangement of the salaries of junior judges their claims to an increase be not overlooked.

An order-in-council has been passed, on the recommendation of the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs, under the authority of the "Act Respecting Indians," prescribing rules and regulations governing the disposal of Indian lands containing minerals other than coal. The regulations are to be applicable to all Indian lands containing gold, silver, cinnabar, lead, tin, copper, petroleum, iron or other mineral deposit of economic value with the exception of coal.

An order-in-council has been passed creating the eastern portion of Prince County, P. E. I., a district under the "Wrecks and Salvage Act."

Supplementary letters patent have been issued to the Keewatin Lumbering and Manufacturing Company, increasing the capital stock from $100,000 to $500,000.

Andrew Maxwell Irving of Toronto gives notice of application to Parliament for divorce from his wife Mary Louise Irving, on the ground of adultery.

A circular dispatch from Downing street will appear to-morrow containing regulations respecting naval cadets, which will be in operation for the examinations in November this year and June next year.

Lantern Exhibition.

The exhibition of views held in the Victoria this afternoon was well attended. For two hours Mr. A. J. Langley engaged the attention of the audience with 200 views of British Columbia, shipwrecks and reminiscences of the war in Egypt. Many of the views were taken from photographs prepared by a local artist, Mr. R. Maynard. The defects which appeared at a former exhibition were remedied, and it is expected that another exhibition will be held in a short time. The funds of the Protestant Orphanage will be considerably augmented by the exhibition.

Rev. E. Walpole Warren, who was brought from England to take charge of Holy Trinity Church, New York, has brought suit for violation of contract. His engagement was cancelled under the foreign labor contract law.

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A DESIRABLE CLASS OF EMIGRANTS.

From the west of Scotland it is learned that hard facts are once more forcing the Crofter question to the front. The technical objections which have been raised to the proposals laid before the Government remain; no doubt in the eyes of the Scotch Office they have lost not one iota of their original force. But natural laws know no "technical objections;" their march is as sure as it is inevitable. Thus it is that, as was predicted weeks ago, the situation has become acute in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland, and in Lewis and elsewhere actual starvation stares the people in the face. The miseries which these struggling crofters underwent last winter in their bleak island homes need no recounting now. Following these deprivations the past summer's fishing has turned out a poor affair, for the most part yielding no adequate return; while the glutted markets of the present season have given even worse prices than those of last year for the cattle reared on the scanty patch of each holding. So hampered on every hand in his struggle with adverse conditions, the crofter has seen the already heavy debt to the local grocer and baker added to week after week, until he is now face to face with the moment when the limit of his credit is reached, and the last means of keeping body and soul together is gone. Sad as all this is, there is nothing in it startling or unexpected. Those who live among the crofters and have their sympathy and confidence, knew that inaction must end in destitution.

The winter is now upon these unfortunates, with all its attendant misery and hardship. Many familiar with the situation assert that destitution and starvation are inevitable and seem bound to follow the winter in its train among the crofters.

The experiment was tried a few years since, by Lady Cathcart, and other kindred philanthropic spirits, of sending a considerable number of these people into the Northwest Territories. Mr. W. B. Scarth, now M. P. for Winnipeg, acting on behalf of the Northwest Land Company, offered liberal inducements, by way of land grants and assisted passages across the Atlantic. From Quebec they were transported at a merely nominal figure to their destination by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. Two hundred of these people were located in the neighborhood of Moose Jaw—not by any means the most desirable section from an agricultural standpoint to be found in the Northwest. Considerable interest centres in the progress and success of the colony, and scarcely a British nobleman visits the Northwest but makes it a part of his business to remain over a day and make a personal inspection of the colony. This year their crops have been very good, the yield there, as elsewhere, being something fabulous. Press representatives, who lately visited them, assert that they are a happy, contented people, proving themselves to be frugal, industrious and withal excellent farmers. In their own peculiar, yet expressive way, they have said that they considered themselves equal in every respect to the Duke of Argyle, for *they were landed proprietors*. This with many was the life-long height of their ambition; and success has at last crowned their desires. It is now stated that the Duchess of Gordon, following the example of Lady Cathcart, is arranging for sending out another colony in the spring.

It has been frequently suggested that this is a class peculiarly adapted to this province. They are experienced as fishermen as well as being provident tillers of the soil. On the west coast of the mainland, as well as along the coast of the Island, there are to be found many places in which colonies of considerable magnitude could be established—where the fishery industry could be prosecuted with advantage to themselves and to the province; where, also, in the course of time, important agricultural settlements could be found. The Crofters, as a class, are different from the majority of assisted emigrants which yearly reach our shores from the mother country and against which there very properly exists a decided feeling of antipathy for they are an undesirable class, being composed largely of waifs rescued from the slums of the larger cities, and Canada made the dumping ground wherein to find them refuge. Experience, extending over a good many years, has demonstrated the fact that but few of these become permanent residents in the country, whilst others turn out to be amongst the hardest of criminals which fill our jails, prisons and penitentiaries. Against assisting such a class it is no wonder that a strong feeling now exists, for the hundreds of thousands yearly spent in connection with such a work is little better than throwing money away. Different entirely would be the case of the crofters. Reared in habits of frugality, taught to be careful of their earnings and making their small holdings produce the utmost quantity possible for sustaining life, they are in every way a desirable class. A few thousand dollars appropriated by the provincial government to be supplemented by the Federal Government would bring to this province a class of people which the country would receive with open arms. Whilst the male portion would be devoting their time to the prosecution of the fishery industry, as well as cultivating the soil, the females would find employment, at high wages, as domestics in every city in the province, filling a long felt want, which can only be relieved in the way we have suggested. The Hon. Robert Dunsmuir, we are assured, would treat liberally, by way of land grants, the settlement of a crofters' colony on the Island within the railway belt. He, however, is not the only one interested in the promulgation of such a scheme, for it is one which would be alike profitable to the province and the entire Dominion. It is to be hoped a move will be made in this direction and an effort put forth to secure the location in an unrivalled province of a few of those certain to leave the Western Isles of Scotland within the next year.

A CAPITAL APPOINTMENT.

The announcement made in another column of the appointment of Mr. Charles Todd to the Indian Agency at Metlakahtla is one which will give general satisfaction. A few weeks since The Times had occasion to condemn the recommendation made by Mr. Donald Chisholm of a gentleman in New Westminster for the position. The ground was then taken that Mr. Fagan did not possess the knowledge of the Indian, his traits of character, language, habits and ways, to make his appointment one of general acceptance to the community at large. We are pleased to note that our suggestions were accepted in the spirit in which they were tendered by the government. They were the sentiments of nine-tenths of the people of the province. The concensus of public opinion in this instance prevailed and the government is to be congratulated on its wisdom in making so wise and so judicious a selection. We understand that it was part of Mr. Van Koughnet's mission to the province to settle this question; the duty of making the recommendation largely devolved on him. He made due and diligent enquiry respecting the merits of each of the candidates with the result already stated. Mr. Todd is to be congratulated on his appointment and on the excellent reputation he bears amongst his fellow citizens. Those in whose hands the matter finally rested, the further they investigated his previous record, became the more convinced that he was incomparably superior to his rivals for this special position. In him the Indian will find a just, upright, honest administrator, performing his whole duty well and fearlessly. He will be a credit to his superiors and the government appointing him.

DOMINION MINERAL LANDS.

An order-in-council has been passed in Ottawa, on the recommendation of the Minister of the Interior, and under the provisions of the "Act respecting Public Lands," cancelling the regulations of March 7, 1884, with respect to the disposal of mineral land, other than coal lands, in Manitoba and the Northwest territories, and of such mineral lands in British Columbia as are the property of the Government of Canada. Generally it may be said that the few changes in the mining regulations have for their object the assimilation of the system of administering mining lands within the railway belt in British Columbia with the mining laws of that province, adhering, however, to the principle that the purchaser of mining lands shall acquire the right to such mines, minerals and substances as may be found within the boundaries of his claim produced vertically, but not the right to follow the lead or vein of gold or silver bearing quartz which originates in his own claim outside of those vertical lines, as is the case under the ledge or California system which prevails in the province.

Austria has signified her willingness to enter into the closest kind of alliance with England.

A large number of Chinamen met in New York and denounced their Consul, because he would not favor a mass meeting of Chinamen to protest against Dennis Kearney and his utterances.

There is a good deal of disquiet in India just now. Rumors of unrest come from many sources, and Brahmins, Mussulmans and Hindoos are said to be nursing their discontent. Well, bullocks and hogs were the immediate cause of the rebellion in 1857; the bullocks, because they were killed at all, and the hogs because there were not enough of them put out of the way. It is pretty hard to deal with a people, many of whom think more of the life of a worm than they do of the lives of a dozen Europeans. The bee is always in the bonnet, with a great number of them and there is no telling what they mean half the time. But the British Government in India is stronger than it was during the days of the emeute at Meerut and the natives are far more loyal too. Lord Dufferin is handling them in such a way as to make them believe that it is "Injun" with them all the time.

A case of flogging occurred in the Montreal gaol last week, when Damase Desormier underwent the first instalment of a lashing to which he had been sentenced for criminal assault upon a girl of 12 years of age. The prisoner was quite fretful all the previous day, and when placed in his cell in the evening seemed quite despondent over the idea of the ordeal which awaited him. He passed a quiet night, however, and when escorted by one of the guards from his cell to the room appeared to have mustered all possible courage for meeting the inevitable. He was closely tied by the hands and feet to the extremities of the board and spent the few moments left him before the flogging in appealing in the most plaintive tones to the flogger's mercy. The Deputy Sheriff having given the order to proceed, the operator, whip in hand, took his measurement, from the right shoulder of the victim downwards across the ribs to the left side, and making one step backwards, commenced to administer the ten lashes like clockwork, counting after each stroke,—until, within two minutes, the word ten was pronounced. After the first lash Desormiers was heard to utter a low exclamation of pain, and after the third and eight he whined out in English "not so hard." As each stroke came down no mark could be seen upon the flesh; but immediately after all was over every spot where the whip had been laid on appeared in red lines, though blood covered the skin. The lasher lost no time in rubbing the back of his victim with saliva. A guard took the prisoner to his cell, whence he proceeded, his arms full of books among which a breviary was conspicuous, to the infirmary where he was examined by the jail physician. He will undergo the second lashing in April next. This is the fourth time that the lash has been administered at the Montreal gaol. On the 25th of October, 1875, Calabria received 35 lashes for indecent assault on a girl under the age of twelve years. He died within a short time afterwards and his death was generally ascribed to this cause. Jean Bte. Dubois received 20 lashes in August, 1883, without flinching, but afterwards became a maniac. On September 28th, 1883, Ferdinand Verronneau received 20 lashes for rape, when his skin was torn by the lash and the blood flowed freely at the seventh stroke. When the fifteenth blow had been applied, the physician ordered the flogger to stop. He has since died.

THE CHINA-JAPAN TRADE.

The New Steamers to be Built—What Mr. Van Horne Says.

In reply to the question what arrangements is the Canadian Pacific Railway company making to avail of the Imperial subsidy of £60,000 a year, asked by an influential citizen of Montreal of Mr. W. C. Van Horne a few days since, that gentleman stated that the company are working on the details of the tender to be submitted to the Imperial Government. The subsidy has been accorded in a general way, but the details have yet to be discussed and settled with the Post Office and the Admiralty departments, as the ships have to be built to meet the requirements of the latter. The subsidy contemplates a monthly service between the Eastern countries and British Columbia, but I have no doubt that a fortnightly service will be provided for at an early date. We will need these steamships for the monthly service, and they are intended to be as fine as anything afloat in construction and finer than anything afloat in appointments. The accommodation for passengers will be as comfortable and as excellent as they can be made. The steamers will be the quickest and strongest that can be built. I expect the details will be arranged within a few weeks and I hope to have the steamers running on the Pacific line within sixteen or eighteen months. We are pretty sure, said Mr. Van Horne, that we will be able to compete successfully for the China-Japan trade as we are doing this already, even with our temporary line.

LADY BRASSEY.

Death of the Well Known Authoress at Sea.

Lady Brassey, whose death was announced a week ago by telegraph, was best known to the public as a traveler in foreign lands, about which she wrote most readable descriptions in books and magazines. Her husband owned one of the best steam yachts in England, and on it he, his wife and children had voyaged round the world, visiting America, Australia, India, China and the isles of the sea, and every nook and cranny, accessible by water, in the savage as well as the civilized portions of the globe. Lady Brassey was a very entertaining chronicler of the odd scenes and incidents that presented themselves to her attention while journeying round the globe. Her "Voyages of the Sunbeam" is a most attractive and handsomely illustrated volume, and has doubtless been read by millions of English speaking people. A year ago she generously authorized its republication, in instalments, in the *Canadian Methodist Magazine*, and since then the illustrated accounts of her travels in all the lands have been a feature of that periodical. A year ago she and her husband accompanied Mr. Gladstone in his trip to Norway and the far north, when the Liberal leader went on a health-seeking mission, Lord Brassey having placed his yacht at the disposal of his distinguished friend. Lady Brassey died as she delighted to live—at sea. When she succumbed, she was on a voyage to Australia in the Sunbeam, and her remains were laid to rest beneath the blue waves on which so many of her days were pleasantly spent.

—At the session of the general board of the Methodist missions in Montreal last week, a report was presented showing that the total receipts for missions for the year was about $200,000. The number of missions this year in Canada (barring New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, from which there is no report), as compared with last year are 403 against 433, showing a decrease of 32 for this year. The total amount asked for by the different conferences for domestic missions are as follows: Toronto, $13,645; London, $11,595; Niagara, $8,646; Guelph, $14,633; Bay of Quinte, $17,033; Montreal, $29,560; Manitoba, $28,760; British Columbia, $9,005; Nova Scotia, $14,354; New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, $12,991; Newfoundland, $22,919.

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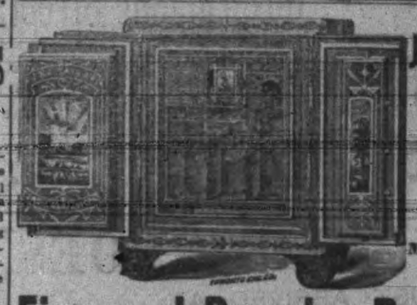

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The exhibition of the Queen's Jubilee gifts is drawing immense crowds. There were 5,000 visitors the first day, 6,000 the second and 10,000 the third.

William IV., Queen Victoria's uncle, preceded her on the throne of Great Britain. Should the Prince of Wales die before the death of Victoria his eldest son would accede to the throne on the Queen's death.

Replying to a question as to whether he had made any arrangements to visit Mid-Lothian during the winter, Mr. Gladstone telegraphs: "No such plan is before me."

It is said in what ought to be well informed circles that Mr. Bayard will propose commercial union as a solution of the fisheries dispute. Should he do so, would Sir John be justified in pitching him into a horse pond?

No less than 126 cases were called at the Toronto police court the other day, the largest number on the docket for one day since Toronto had an existence. Such facts should put an end to all pharisaical vaporing about "Toronto the Good."

Judges Lyon, Ircelick and Chadwick waited on the Minister of Justice yesterday on behalf of the junior judges of Ontario, to urge that in any re-arrangement of the salaries of the junior judges their claims to an increase should not be forgotten.

Judge McKenzie of Toronto declined to act in the Sheppard case, on the ground that the police magistrate, whose decision he was asked to review, had almost equal powers with himself. Counsel will now appeal to the high court of justice.

The crisis in the whisky trade in Scotland is becoming a very serious one. Since the beginning of August fourteen Scotch firms engaged in the wine and spirit business have suspended payment, and others are expected to follow. The cause in almost all cases is over trading, and rash discounting of bills.

During the month of August the amount deposited in the government's savings banks amounted to $349,979, and the withdrawals $458,710, a decrease of deposits for the month of $108,731. The decrease in July was $113,045, making a total decrease for the first two months of the year of $221,776. The total of balances in favor of depositors at the end of August was $21,112,747, as against $21,221,480 at the end of July.

A statement is published of the commitments to gaol in the counties of Ontario which are under the operation of the Scott Act, as compared with those under license. In twenty-three counties under the Scott Act, the commitments in 1884, the last year all were under license numbered 172, while in 1886, under the Scott Act, the number was 290. In the fourteen counties still under license the commitments in 1884 were 2,248, and in 1886, 2,314. The figures are from the reports of prison inspectors and no doubt correct.

The British Postmaster-General has issued the following notice respecting the provisional mail service to China and Japan, *via* Montreal:—From information received, it appears that the dates of departure of the steamer from Vancouver for China and Japan have been altered, and that the next steamers on that line will leave Vancouver on the 5th and 23rd of November next. Assuming that a corresponding alteration has been made in the dates on which the mails leave Montreal, letters, etc., specially superscribed, "*via* Montreal," should be posted in this country seventeen days earlier.

Mr. L. H. Walker, for many years statistician of the New York Produce Exchange, has joined the editorial staff of *Bradstreet's*, the well known commercial and financial newspaper published in New York, to which he will give his exclusive services. Mr. Walker is perhaps the best informed man in the country on the statistics of grain, flour, provisions, live stock and kindred lines. He is the author of the only complete records of this kind in the country, and the inventor of the "visible" grain supply statement. With his aid, in addition to the original work in that direction which *Bradstreet's* has done and has projected, that journal must become indispensable to all interested in those subjects.

It is understood that the Parisian syndicate, Le Comptoir des Escomptes—which is said to include the Rothschilds—has renewed its propositions to the Dominion government relative to the establishment of smelting works in the lower provinces, the development of the mining resources and the construction of railways in the mining regions of Nova Scotia. Representatives of the organization held a conference recently in London, England. As the scheme is one elaborate in detail, nothing was done. Sir Charles Tupper and Hon. Mackenzie Bowell agreeing to submit the proposition to the Cabinet on their return to the Dominion. The capitalists, among other things, are desirous of going into rail manufacturing, expressing a desire to secure co-operation with the C. P. R., Grand Trunk and other Canadian railways, rather than be considered an opposition enterprise. It is understood that the syndicate has been formally notified that the Government will not consider any proposition for the purchase of the Intercolonial Railway until the completion of the Short Line Railway.

To make arrangements for the intended visit of the President and his wife a committee of St. Paul ladies was formed, and at the head of this was Mrs. Davis, the wife of Senator Davis, ex-Governor of the State, and a gentleman of whom St. Paul is justly proud. But the ladies dip-tilted their crest-poses and would have none of Mrs. Davis. Not that there was the suspicion of a shadow upon her wifely honor—that perhaps would have been forgiven—not that she was lacking in culture or *savoir vivre*, but, and let it be said in all sadness, she had once earned her living as a seamstress. When the life of a frontier town, such as St. Paul was, is duly considered it might have been thought that the wives of a good many of St. Paul's highest-toned citizens would have overlooked this circumstance. But no; the idea of a former seamstress coming between the wind and their newly created nobility was too much. But Mrs. Davis, who we should think must have enlisted the sympathy of the whole of the United States outside of St. Paul, may find some solace in the fact that many other ladies are to be found engaged in providing their sex with those articles which, despite the adage, that beauty unadorned is adorned the most, public opinion insists upon their wearing.

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JOSEPH SPRATT.
Victoria B. C., Oct. 15, 1887. oct15 1m

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

SUBDIVISION NO. 8 OF SECTION XXVI. VICTORIA DISTRICT.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Richard Baker, late of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned subdivision, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1872, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate: Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.
CHAS. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
28th September, 1887. sept29 1m

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province."

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all Claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B. C., July 25th, 1887. july25

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease, for timbering purposes, the following described land:

Commencing at a stake on the east shore of Jackson Bay, Topaze Harbor; thence north twenty [20] chains; thence west ten [10] chains; thence north twenty [20] chains; thence west ten [10] chains; thence north twenty [20] chains; thence west ten chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west ten [10] chains; thence north eighty chains; thence west forty [40] chains; thence south one hundred and twenty [120] chains; thence east thirty-five [35] chains; thence south twenty [20] chains; thence east thirty [30] chains to point of commencement, the whole containing six hundred and forty acres more and less.
CHOATE & ANGUS.
Chemainus, B. C., October 1, 1887. oct6

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated at Jackson Bay, Topaze Harbor:

Commencing at a stake about forty chains northwest of Jackson Bay; thence west forty chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east one hundred chains; thence south forty chains; thence east twenty chains; thence south forty chains; thence west sixty chains; thence north forty chains; thence west forty chains to point of commencement, containing six hundred and forty acres more or less.
P. W. SWETT.
October 5, 1887. oct6 1m

Quesnelle Quartz Mining Company
(LIMITED.)
Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 28th September, 1887, an Assessment of One Cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said Company, payable forthwith, at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 31st October, 1887, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 4th day of November, 1887, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B. C., Sept. 29, 1887. oct6 D&W

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.
(LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT No. 17.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the Company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 5th day of November, 1887, from and after which date all shares on which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.
Dated this 12th October, 1887.
By order of the Board.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
oct13 D&W Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke River, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.
M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 1aw-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 36 Sooke District, thence due north 80 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 100 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.
R. E. JACKSON.
Victoria B. C. 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 1aw-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northwest corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 49, 48, 47, 46, Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections 50, 51, and 52 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.
MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 1aw

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of unsurveyed land in Sooke District, and described as follows:

Commencing at the N. W. corner of section 36; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; to point of commencement.
Victoria, B. C. Sept 21st, 1887.
sept. 22 1aw2m O. B. HARDY.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the unoccupied land situated on the north end of Salt Spring Island and described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 2; thence following the meanderings of the shore line in a northerly and easterly direction to the northwest corner of E. J. Beecham's pre-emption claim, No. 103; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence in a southerly direction, following the western boundary of section 7, Range 1 north, to the north west corner of Lot 5; thence in a northwesterly direction, following the northern boundary of Lot 4 for a distance of 46 chains, more or less; thence due north 59.70 chains; thence due west 47.95 chains to the point of commencement, containing 300 acres more or less.
A. R. JOHNSTON.
August 1, 1887. aug6 1aw 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that I have made application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from a tract of land containing one thousand acres more or less situated on Cortes Island, commencing from a post situated on the shore of the west side of Cortes Island, southeast of Pinnacle Pass; thence east twenty (20) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence east one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence north one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence north forty (40) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence south forty (40) chains; thence west forty (40) chains, more or less, to a stake situated on the west shore of Cortes Island; thence along the water's edge to place of commencement.
MOSES C. IRELAND.
Victoria, 1st Sept., 1887. sep 2 1m

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NO. 151.

A BY-LAW

To Define the Width of Streets.

[Passed 12th October, 1887.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to define the width of streets to be hereafter taken over and maintained by the City of Victoria, therefore

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:

1. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as "The Street Width By-Law, 1887."

2. From and after the passage of this By-Law no street that shall be of less width than sixty feet from the line fence on either side thereof shall be accepted or maintained by the said city.

3. It shall not be lawful to devote any part of the city revenue in surveying, grading or gravelling or in laying sidewalks along the line of any street not already accepted or taken over by a vote of this Council that shall be of less width than sixty feet from the line fence on either side thereof.

4. This By-Law shall not apply to any street accepted or taken over by the city at the date of the passing of this By-Law. oct15

Railways.

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TIME CARD NO 4

To take effect at 8.30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 1st, 1887.

Going North.	No. 4 Passenger Daily.	No. 6 Friday, Sunday and Monday.	STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Friday, Sunday and Monday.
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.
	8 00	2 00	VICTORIA	11 00	4 00
	8 05	2 05	Spring Ridge	10 55	3 55
	8 08	2 08	Quadra street	10 52	3 52
	8 11	2 11	Cedar Hill Junction	10 49	3 49
	8 15	2 15	Gordon Head	10 45	3 45
	8 18	2 18	Cordova Bay	10 42	3 42
	8 23	2 23	Sidney	10 37	3 37
	8 28	2 28	Deep Cove	10 32	3 32
	8 32	2 32	Brentwood	10 28	3 28
	8 35	2 35	Keating	10 25	3 25
	8 38	2 38	Cordiche	10 22	3 22
	8 42	2 42	Dunsmuir	10 18	3 18
	8 45	2 45	Cobble Hill	10 15	3 15
	8 50	2 50	Shawnigan Lake	10 10	3 10
	9 00	3 00	Goldstream	10 00	3 00
	9 15	3 15	Malahat	9 45	2 45
	9 25	3 25	Shoal Harbor	9 35	2 35
	9 35	3 35	Duncans	9 25	2 25
	9 45	3 45	Somenos	9 15	2 15
	9 55	3 55	Chemainus	9 05	2 05
	10 15	4 15	Ladysmith	8 45	1 45
	10 35	4 35	Nanoose	8 25	1 25
	10 45	4 45	Wellington	8 15	1 15
	11 00	5 00	NANAIMO	8 00	1 00

Going South.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Friday, Sunday and Monday.	STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Friday, Sunday and Monday.
	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.
	1 30	6 30	NANAIMO	11 00	5 00
	1 45	6 45	Wellington	10 45	4 45
	1 55	6 55	Nanoose	10 35	4 35
	2 15	7 15	Ladysmith	10 15	4 15
	2 35	7 35	Chemainus	9 55	3 55
	2 45	7 45	Somenos	9 45	3 45
	2 55	7 55	Duncans	9 35	3 35
	3 05	8 05	Shoal Harbor	9 25	3 25
	3 15	8 15	Malahat	9 15	3 15
	3 30	8 30	Goldstream	9 00	3 00
	3 40	8 40	Shawnigan Lake	8 50	2 50
	3 45	8 45	Cobble Hill	8 45	2 45
	3 48	8 48	Dunsmuir	8 42	2 42
	3 52	8 52	Cordiche	8 38	2 38
	3 55	8 55	Keating	8 35	2 35
	3 58	8 58	Brentwood	8 32	2 32
	4 02	9 02	Deep Cove	8 28	2 28
	4 05	9 05	Sidney	8 25	2 25
	4 10	9 10	Cordova Bay	8 20	2 20
	4 13	9 13	Gordon Head	8 17	2 17
	4 17	9 17	Cedar Hill Junction	8 13	2 13
	4 20	9 20	Quadra street	8 10	2 10
	4 23	9 23	Spring Ridge	8 07	2 07
	4 30	9 30	VICTORIA	8 00	2 00

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Until further notice Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare will be issued to any point on the line, good for three days, including the day of issue,
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Daily except Monday, at 7 o'clock.
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LEAVE VICTORIA
For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island,
Sundays, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
Plumper Pass
Friday at 7 o'clock.
Leaves New Westminst'r for Victoria,
Monday at one p.m.; Thursday and Saturday at 7 a.m.
For Plumper Pass,
Saturday, at 7 o'clock.
Steamers for HOPE and WAY LANDINGS leave New Westminster every Tuesday. For CHILLIWHACK and WAY LANDINGS every Tuesday and Saturday at 7 a. m.

Barclay Sound Route.
Steamer Maude Leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports October 29, Nov. 29.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
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Full stocks of NEW CROP BLACK and GREEN TEAS, of unusually fine quality, have been received per "Prince Victor." Following are offered:

300 Mats M M Tea, in 5 and 10 lb. boxes.
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5,000 lbs. „ „ in half chests.
10,000 „ Extra Choice Pearl, „
8,000 „ Choice „ „
10,000 „ „ „ in 5 & 10 lb. boxes
Also, an assortment of Hyson and Japan Teas.

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Victoria, Saturday, Oct. 22, 1887.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.

EASTERN TOWNSHIP'S BUTTER at Neufelder & Ross'. *

—Mens', Youths', and Boys' Rubber Coats at reduced prices, at Jeffrees', Yates St. *

—A fine line of Porpoise hide laced boots direct from London, just arrived at GEO. H. MAYNARD'S. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska, for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St. *

—Strong, serviceable umbrellas, suitable for school children, 75c each, at Jeffrees', Yates St. *

—TRY our new OPERA GAITER and LACE BOOT, made to order at $4 50. *
GEO. H. MAYNARD.

—BOYS' ENGLISH LACE BOOTS just arrived; no equal in the province, at GEO. H. MAYNARD'S. *

—Mr. W. G. Cameron exhibits, in the Mechanics' store, two large potatoes grown by Mr. J. W. McConnell, James Bay, weighing 3¼ pounds.

—Miss McLeod, the magnetic doctor of Toronto, is at the Clarence Hotel, consultation free; the first three patients cured free of charge. *

The only place in the city for a glass of British Beer on draught is the Occidental Hotel. XXX Edinburgh and XXX Burton. WM. JENSEN.

—See the new dress stuff that is selling at the Lansdowne House, Yates street. 8 yards for $1.
JOHN PARTRIDGE, Proprietor.*

—Pendray & Co. have only sent a part of their No. 1 soap east. You can have your orders promptly filled by them on Humboldt street. *

—Families requiring extra quantities of sugar for preserving purposes will find it to their advantage to purchase at FELL & Co's. *

—The people east are good judges of soap, that's just the reason they buy largely of Pendray & Co. We keep a full stock on hand of soap that is soap. You try it. *

—Another shipment of ladies' and children's tweed ulsters, felt and straw hats, new wool goods, black silk umbrellas, hosiery, gloves, etc., etc. Lansdowne House, Yates street.
J. PARTRIDGE, Proprietor.*

—REDUCED PRICES:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. JOS. SOMMERS, Government street. *

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work.

—You can have BROWN'S celebrated CLIMAX WASHING POWDER at greatly reduced prices, manufactured by PENDRAY & Co., Humboldt street, Victoria. *

—Why suffer with that aching head when you may be cured with Ayer's Cathartic Pills? Send a 2 cent stamp to Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., for a set of their attractive album cards. *

—An exhibition of 120 views of Victoria and vicinity, by the celebrated artists Mons. and Mad. L'Aubiniere, is now being held at the room over Messrs. W.W. Waitt & Co.'s Music Store; admission, 25c. *

—The experience of years furnishes the most convincing evidence that thousands of lives are annually saved by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It speedily cures all affections of the throat, bronchial tubes, and lungs. *

—A very pleasant evening is promised to young and old by the Victoria Band of Hope, who will give an entertainment entitled Mother Goose and Her Temperance Family, in the Temperance Hall, on Monday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock; admission, 25 cents. *

—It is useless to attempt the cure of any disorder, if the blood is allowed to remain impure. Neuralgia and rheumatism are traceable to a disordered condition of the blood, and in numberless cases have been cured by taking a few bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. *

POLICE COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Q. C. S. M.)

Johnny Scott, an Indian, charged by Officer Thomas with being in possession of an intoxicant. Fined $5 or one week.

Antonio Lazairre, a Chilean, charged by Officer Robb with supplying liquor to Indians. Fined $50 or two months' imprisonment.

Annie Powers, an Indian woman. Charge withdrawn.

For San Francisco.

By the Geo. W. Elder for San Francisco: Mrs F J Dawley and child, E Everett and wife, S L Hicks, John Hargraves and wife, Miss Gosnell, Mrs Gosnell, Miss Lizzie Leach, G B Henry, Thos W Garde, W H Hill, Mrs Jas A Hill, Vigor Austather, C H Carboreau, E K Levitt, Miss Doyle, Henry Burke, Walter Blackie and wife, Mrs Capt Smith, Mrs R Croft, Geo W Campbell and wife, Mrs S L Hicks, Miss E Burton, A J Bannerman, Q E Haine, wife and three children, Chas Whillington, E J Boyes, J A Shearer, Miss Orton, Capt J Keith and 15 steerage passengers.

From Surgeon-General Bergin, M. D M. P., Ottawa, May 21, 1884.—Mr. B. Laurance.—Dear Sir: I cannot let you leave the city without expressing my satisfaction with the spectacles I had from you. I find that I can read the smallest print perfectly and without fatigue to the eye, for an hour or more, which I have not hitherto been able to do since I commenced the use of spectacles. B. BERGIN, M.D.

B. Laurance's spectacles only sold by D. E. Campbell, Fort street. *

Mayor Day, of Parkerville, Kansas, shot and killed Dr. A. Hopkins. Cause, domestic troubles.

The Finest Out.

Ladies' feather weight rubbers at GEO. H. MAYNARD'S *

"O" Battery.

Major Peters, Capt. Benson and Lieut Ogilvie have been gazetted to "O" battery.

Lieut. Governor of Quebec.

Judge Angers has been appointed Lieutenant Governor of Quebec.

Vancouver, B. C.

Rand Bros., Real Estate Brokers, have their office on Cordova Street. *

Too True.

Anderson & Hastie are still giving bargains in all kinds of furniture, including parlor, bedroom and dining, window shades and picture frames. *

The Right Place.

THE RIGHT PLACE for Gum Boots, Rubbers, and all kinds of Overshoes, is at Erskine's Boot & Shoe Emporium, corner Government & Johnson Sts. *

Pianos.

Received a lot of the well known Gonisch beautiful pianos. Come and see them before you buy. H. PETERS, corner Douglas and Discovery street. *

Champion Wrestler.

McKeown, the champion wrestler of Canada, is in the city and stopping at the Pritchard House. It is possible that a match may be arranged with some of our heavy weights in the course of a day or two.

Shooting Gallery.

The undersigned has opened a shooting gallery on Johnson street, next to the Jubilee Saloon, where all who desire to practice shooting will find every convenience. Open every evening at 6:30 o'clock. JOHN SPENCER. *

Smoke "Creme de la Creme" Cigars.

The Latest.

Who's that Calling so Sweet	Song
Rally Round the Flag	Song
The Red Lamp	Waltz
Manilens	Waltz
Dewdrops	Song
To One Alone	Song

At Lombard & Co.'s Music store. *

Really! The Creme de la Creme.

New Drug Store.

R. Atwood & Co. have opened their drug store on Government street, next door to Neufelder & Ross, where can be found a full line of drugs, chemicals, toilet articles, patent medicines, etc., etc. Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded. R. ATWOOD & Co.

Creme de la Creme Cigars; A. B. Gray & Co., Agents.

Christmas Presents.

Those wishing above would do well to send their orders at once to insure their being in time and to prevent disappointment to W. H. Pennock, Practical Jeweller & Diamond Setter. Gold plating and general repairs. Denny's Block, up stairs, Government St. Best Quality, Latest Styles, Reasonable Prices. *

Tony Cigars.

Accident.

A Chinaman, employed by Mr. S. T. Styles on Mr. Gilmore's building, Yates street, fell from the upper story this morning. He struck the sidewalk fracturing one arm and dislocating one leg. The wounded man was conveyed to the Royal Hospital by Mr. Styles, and will recover from the effects of the injuries.

Black and Tan Cigars.

The Provincial Conference.

The Hon. John Robson has not gone to the Inter-provincial Conference, and the Quebec journals are very properly incensed thereat. It appears that our government, although invited, took no action and neglected to accept or decline the invitation. All the Ontario cabinet ministers are present, but Honest John is not an Ontario cabinet minister. He is under the thumb of Sir John A. Macdonald.

Gladstone Cigars.

Important.

The goods damaged by water in consequence of the fire in the Arcade building will be sold at private sale commencing on Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade. Brussels Carpets, Tapestry Carpet, Felt and Hemp Carpet, Rope Matting, Kidderminster and Three-ply Carpets, Hearthrugs, Mats.

Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Shirts, Socks, Underwear; also the goods damaged by the smoke. All goods will be marked in plain figures and sold for cash only. *

☞ Roller Skating Rink Open Every Day.

Being Wined and Dined.

Sir John Macdonald gave a dinner party on the evening of the 15th at Earnscliffe in honor of the Hon. John Robson, Provincial Secretary of British Columbia. Besides Mr. Robson the guests were Sir Charles Tupper, G C M G, Hon Mr Bowell, Sir Adolphe Caron, K C M G, Hon Mr Costigan, Hon Mr White, Hon Mr Thompson, Hon Mr Foster, Hon Mr Clemow, Col Baker, M P P for Kootenay, British Columbia, and Mr J M Courtney.

Don't

let that cold of yours run on. You think it is a light thing. But it may run into catarrh. Or into pneumonia. Or consumption.

Catarrh is disgusting. Pneumonia is dangerous. Consumption is death itself.

The breathing apparatus must be kept healthy and clear of all obstructions and offensive matter. Otherwise there is trouble ahead.

All the diseases of these parts, head, nose, throat, bronchial tubes and lungs, can be delightfully and entirely cared by the use of Boschee's German Sprup. If you don't know this already, thousands and thousands of people can tell you. They have been cured by it, and know how it is themselves. Bottle only 75 cents. Ask any druggist.

The Odd Fellows' Social.

The social and dance in the Odd Fellows' Hall last night was, as a matter of course, a success. The hall is probably the finest in the city for such a purpose, the music was excellent, and those present could not help enjoying themselves. Other socials will follow during the season.

A Coming Event.

On the 28th inst., a young and popular manager of a leading and well known hotel on Yates street, will lead to the altar one of Nanaimo's fairest daughters. The event has been on the tapis for some time. Both parties are well known and are receiving congratulations in advance in anticipation of the happy event.

The Art Exhibition.

The exhibition of oil painting, by M. and Mme. De L'Aubiniere will positively close this evening at 10 o'clock. This will be the last opportunity to inspect this magnificent collection of original paintings, which are illustrative of the scenery of Victoria and vicinity. It will also be the last opportunity offered to purchasers, as on Monday those remaining unsold will be packed up for transportation to the east. Purchasers are requested to send for their pictures on Monday or Tuesday, Oct. 24 and 25, between 2 and 4 p. m. We hope few paintings will be permitted to leave the city.

Catarrah, Catarrahal Deafness and Hay Fever.

Sufferers are not generally aware that these diseases are contagious, or that they are due to the presence of living parasites in the lining membrane of the nose and eustachian tubes. Microscopic research, however, has proved this to be a fact, and the result is that a simple remedy has been formulated whereby catarrh, catarrhal deafness and hay fever is cured in from one to three simple applications made at home. A pamphlet explaining this new treatment is sent free on receipt of stamp, by A. H. Dixon & Son, 305 King street West, Toronto, Canada.—*Christian Standard.* *

The Late Mr. Annand.

The death of Hon. William Annand, which occurred to-day at Sydenham, Eng., closes the earthly career of the last of the prominent Reformers who took part in establishing responsible government in Nova Scotia. He was elected to the Nova Scotia Assembly in 1836 as a colleague of Jos. Howe, and continued a member with slight intermission until 1867. After the election of that year he was appointed to the Legislative Council, when he became premier of the local government, and continued such until 1875. For more than 30 years he and Mr. Howe were inseparable, but they parted when Howe accepted Confederation in 1869, Annand continuing a strong anti-confederate till his death.

Marriage Chimes.

Vancouver *News:* On Tuesday Mr. G. R. Gordon, the well known and popular merchant of Carrall street, was married at Clinton, B. C., to Miss S. E. McIntyre, late of Goderich, Ont. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James A. Wood at the residence of the bride's brother. After the ceremony, which took place at 10 in the morning, was over, the happy pair left by stage for Ashcroft, Steve Tingley, the celebrated superintendent of the B. C. Express, having kindly held the stage until all were ready. At Mundorf's, the 124 mile house, a sumptuous repast had been prepared by Mrs. Mundorf, kindliest of women, which was done ample justice to, and the happy couple arrived the same evening at Ashcroft and took the train for Vancouver where they arrived on Wednesday.

A Rich Empire.

A Chinaman writes the New York *World* a letter from which it may be inferred that America and Europe have not a monopoly of civilization, and Christians should not be too ready to assert their own superiority over heathens. "Now, where does all the money go that is consequent upon this outrageous 'up-to-neck' taxation by this glorious Republic? Certainly the salaries of its officials do not eat it up, as they are, with hardly an exception, the poorest paid officials in the world. Even a second grade mandarin in China gets a bigger salary than the President of the United States—at least twice the amount, yet there are more officials in China at least ten times than there are in the United States, and the taxation in that country is so light that the people hardly feel the loss, there being no taxation upon anything in many of the Provinces except salt and land actually cultivated. Upon the latter there is only something less than ⅓ per cent. of the grains raised, and upon the former 1 per cent. There is absolutely no tax upon homesteads or real estate not actually under cultivation, nor any personal property tax. Yet the Imperial treasury of China is one of the richest in Asia. There is not a dollar of national debt, except that owed to the Europeans some years ago, when the opium was forced upon the heathens for the heathens' good. Even that outrageous amount has been largely paid off by the economical heathen politicians."

ANOTHER TRAITOR.

Robson and Turner in the Same Boat—Nice Ministers.

Hon. J. H. Turner is not the only traitor in the British Columbia Goverment. He conspired to drive people out of the country, and the Hon. John Robson, who is being dined and possibly wined by the Dominion Government at Ottawa, is paving the way to sacrifice his own constituents. In a late issue the Ottawa *Free Press* published an interview with the Provincial Secretary, in the course of which the honorable conspirator said that his constituents in New Westminster district were satisfied to forego their wish for railway connection between New Westminster and the boundary though it would be a benefit to them. The difference between Mr. Turner and Mr. Robson is trifling; in effect their crimes are the same. Even the *Columbian* is constrained to admit that if Mr. Robson was reported correctly he "talked nonsense." Most people will describe his language in plainer terms. Already a protest signed by his colleagues in the legislature has been made, and no doubt his constituents will take action on his traitorous language at an early day. The following is the protest issued by Messrs. Orr and Ladner:

Whereas the Hon. Jno. Robson, Provincial Secretary of the province of British Columbia, is reported to have said to a reporter of the Ottawa *Free Press* that the people of British Columbia are satisfied to forego their wish for railway connection between New Westminster and the boundary, although it would be a benefit to them. If he made such a statement as above quoted, he did so without any foundation in fact, as the people of the city of New Westminster, which he has the honor of representing, and the whole province, are opposed to the unjustifiable assumption of the Dominion Government of disallowing acts passed by the Provincial Legislature solely affecting the interests of the province, and not opposed to the ultimate advantage of the national highway, paid for by the people and handed over to a monopoly.

(Signed) JAMES ORR, M.P.P.
WM LADNER, M.P.P.
New Westminster, Oct. 20, 1887.

THE SOUND SERVICE.

The New Schedule for Puget Sound and Victoria.

When the repairs are completed on the Olympian, she will make the round trip every day between Seattle and Victoria, Sundays excepted. She will leave Seattle at 2 a. m.; Port Townsend at 6 a. m., and arrive at Victoria at 8:30. Returning she will leave Victoria at 10 a. m.; Port Townsend 1 p. m. and arrive at Seattle at 4 p. m.

The Emma Hayward will run between Seattle and Olympia daily except Sunday. She will leave Seattle at 4 a. m. and arrive at Tacoma at 6:15, connecting with the local train for Portland, and reach Olympia at 11:30. Returning, she will leave Olympia at 1 p. m.; arrive at Tacoma at 4 p. m. and lie there till 6:30, connecting with the local train from Portland, and reach Seattle at 8:45 p. m.

The steamer North Pacific will run daily as a local boat between Tacoma and Seattle. She will leave Tacoma at 6:30 a. m., arriving at Seattle at 9 a. m.; leave Seattle at 9:30 and arrive at Tacoma at noon, connecting with the switchback train for Portland; leave Tacoma at 1:30 p. m., after the arrival of the switchback train from Portland and from the East, arriving at Seattle at 4 p. m. Leave Seattle at 4:30 p. m., after the arrival of the Olympian from Victoria, arriving at Tacoma at 7 p. m., thus giving passengers from the north the option of staying over at Seattle or coming through to Tacoma. The North Pacific will also run on Sundays, but the schedule has not been fixed.

This arrangement will give the best service the Sound has ever had, and is the result of Manager Holcomb's determination to give all the cities and towns ample transportation facilities. The Geo. E. Starr will be held as a reserve boat.

METLAKAHTLA.

Mr. Chas. Todd Appointed Indian Agent—Leaves for Metlakahtla Early Next Week.

Mr. Charles Todd, ex-Superintendent of Provincial Police and lately Stipendiary Magistrate under the Dominion Public Works Act, in the Yale-Kootenay district, was yesterday appointed Indian Agent at Metlakahtla in room of the late J. C. Hughes, who died about a year ago, greatly lamented by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. It is understood that there were a number of applicants for the position, many of whom possessed qualifications eminently fitting them for the position. Mr. Todd's lengthened experience amongst the Indians in every part of the province; his knowledge of their language and habits, his excellent judgment and knowledge of the laws of the Dominion as well as those of the province, his suavity of manner, tact and general ability pre-eminently fit him for the responsible position to which he is now called to serve his Queen and his country. The appointment is one which meets with general approval, for of all men in British Columbia believed to possess administrative qualities of a high order for Metlakahtla at the present period, none can excel Mr. Chas. Todd in honesty of purpose and a desire to serve his country, and the people over whom he has to exercise jurisdiction fortunately and well. He leaves for the scene of labors early in the incoming week, carrying with him the best wishes of his numerous friends in thiscity and throughout the province for his future welfare. The appointment is one on which the government is to be congratulated for the judicious selection made. Mrs. Todd will not accompany her husband for the present, but will join him in the spring.

COMOX.

Hon. T. B. Humphreys' Return—His Candidature.

Hon. T. B. Humphreys returned from Comox to-day, wearing a broader smile than usual and appearing in his customary buoyant spirits. The resignation of Mr. A. M. Stenhouse, he reports, took many of the electors by surprise, for although one or two gentlemen had been taken into the late member's confidence the secret was sacredly kept until officially announced through the press. Mr. Humphreys met and conversed with a very large number of the electors, with the result that a unanimous request was presented to him to become a candidate to fill the vacancy. At a meeting in the Central School House, Mr. Samuel T. Crawford in the chair, and all the representative men of the district being present, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Moved by Archibald Milligan, seconded by Alex. Urquhart, and resolved, that a vacancy having happened in Comox district by the resignation of A. Maitland Stenhouse, Esq., be it therefore resolved, that this meeting desire the Hon T. B. Humphreys to be placed in nomination as member for this district, and we hereby pledge our votes and influence to insure his election.

Mr. Humphreys, we believe, has accepted the invitation and feels confident of a successful issue. No other opponent has yet declared himself, and unless the Government—who hate Mr. Humphreys as the devil hates holy water—trump up an opposition, the election will be by acclamation. Mr. Dingwall has eschewed politics, and no other local candidate is likely to come forward.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Meeting Last Night—No Appointment Yet Made.

The board of school trustees met last night in the police court room. Present: Chairman Hayward, Secretary Walker, and Messrs. Ferguson, Milne, Heisterman and Harris.

Accounts for the month were passed to the finance committee, and ordered to be paid if found correct.

Communications were read from Mr. Muir in reference to some charges he made at the last meeting, asking that they be re-opened.

Mr. Ferguson said if the matter was to be brought up again he would advocate that the investigation be held in open board, otherwise it was much better for all parties that it be dropped.

Mr. Hayward said that as Mr. Muir was asked to state the case in full, which he did, and as no objections arose from Mr. Muir until after the verdict was given, he considered it unnecessary to have the matter entered into again.

Dr. Milne did not think it in the interests of Mr. Muir or anyone else to have the matter reopened, as it had been considered at last meeting. The communication was received and filed.

There were twenty-one applicants for the position of principal of the high school, among them one lady. The applications were chiefly from the eastern provinces.

After some deliberations in committee of the whole, the board adjourned till Monday afternoon, when an appointment of a teacher will take place.

English Window Glass, 16 oz., all sizes; also Stained and Enamelled Glass, at Muirhead and Mann's Sash and Door Factory.

—Money saved by having your plans made by Fraser, the ARCHITECT. *

ON THE WING.

Movements of People We Know and have Read of.

Mr. C. Booth is about again.

Mr. Christopher West returned last night from a visit to England.

Mr. A. A. Sandeman, a popular Montreal traveller, is in the city.

Mr. Thos. Mowat, inspector of fisheries, is in the city.

Messrs. B. Gordon, C. Wilson and E. O. Shannon, returned from the Mainland last night.

Mr. E. E. Rand has gone east on a business visit, and will be absent five or six months.

Mr. G. C. Shaw returned last night after an extended visit to St. Catherines and other eastern cities.

The Hon. John Robson has been visiting the place of his birth, near Dowson's in North Elmsley, Lanark county, Ont.

We regret to learn that owing to bad health Mr. and Mrs. Justice Gray will have to spend the coming winter in lower California.

Rev. Mr. Burns, formerly a well-known Methodist minister on the Upper Ottawa, was baptized and received into the Catholic church at Ottawa last week.

Ald. E. F. Hutchings, one of Winnipeg's most progressive solid business men, is in the city. The alderman is one of the few who pulled through the lamented boom unscathed, and is now enabled to enjoy a well earned holiday. He spent several days in Vancouver and in New Westminster, with both of which places he is greatly pleased. A visit was paid to the hatchery and the delta lands at Ladner's, which he considers about as good as that in the neighborhood of Winnipeg.

MARINE.

The Rithet left for the Fraser at noon to-day to load with salmon.

The Western Slope will leave for the Fraser river canneries to-night and will return with a cargo of salmon.

The bark Constitution arrived from San Francisco to-day with a general cargo consigned to Messrs. Welch, Rithet & Co.

Mr. Dunsmuir's new collier, the Antonio, arrived at the outer wharf to-day from San Francisco. She will load with coal at Departure Bay.

The Clairmont will come around from Esquimalt on Monday to load salmon.

The Coldstream will leave for Liverpool on Wednesday next with a full cargo of salmon.

Passengers Arriving.

Per str. Princess Louise from Vancouver—A McAllister, J S Hudsell, F N Van Volkenburgh, Capt Simpson, Lieutenant Garforth, Mrs Soule, Miss Soule, J S Moore, M Grupper, S S Lee, G T Clinton, C H McKenny, J McKay, R Appleton, Miss Pearl Orr, R C Duncan, J Cowan, Con Leonny, N Etting, C McKillan, C Evans, E B Hines, A Matterson, L A Combs, A S Young, W S McCain, H R McLean, N C Seymour, R Morley, W Bryant, H Jordan, W E Reynolds, Marsh, E E Robinson, E C Palmer, M Manger, R Holt, C M Lade, J Crawford, C O Shannon, M Ricola, J G Allen, J Elliot, S Jayer, C Johnston, D Muffet, N Chaplis, J Nicholson, Lizzie Dertram, S Gough, C Wilson, J Muffet, W Ker Wright, H Irry, M Argood, S Areate, A Stone, J Lowry, W Lowe, M Theodore, Theodora, W Knight, Miss Aerey, S August, J Selva, J Victoria, Jos Carins, I Begg, E Jefferson, Mrs Waterman, J Collins, F Caperon, J Higgins, J Davis, Mrs J Davis, E Pritchard, Miss Pritchard, G E Gwet, K Wagstaffe, J W Duffis, C Kenning, H Bathurst, T S Phelps, W A Begby, Mrs H E Moore, M C Hice, R C Collins, J C Nelson, G C Shaw, W E Bispin, C H Dann, C West, V Nightingale.

By the Geo E Starr—J Cameron, Mrs Evans, J Ritchie, C Wright, S O Kee, W J A Anderson, Robt Gras, C D Hand, R Malagran, A D Cooke, H J Morse, A Moore and wife, C Holwer, Shakespeare, R Jones, T Skinnes, A Bauman, A A Torrance, J E Jones, J K Wilson and wife, Miss Sutherland, A Gurney, E Esplin, W Stevenson, Miss Morny, Jas Fordham and wife, A Beesan, Mrs Thompson, Mrs Gray and daughter, H Cook, A Morey, M Waite, W S Munroe, J Blight, J Black, W Miller, A Sharp, A S Magnus, W K Moller, A Dobbs, Spacker, 2 Chinamen, 1 Indian.

Hotel Arrivals.

At St. Alice Hotel, Harrison Hot Springs—Fred McCallum, Kamloops; F F Prechotte, do; C W Finlayson, Victoria; E L Kirkland, Chilliwhack; Mr and Mrs Campbell, do; Miss Reese, do; W S Dewney, Ottawa; A F Cotten, do; Dr Tunstall and wife, Kamloops; G Johnson, Yale; J Huntley, Vancouver; Mrs M E Parmeter, Jno Spring, Eugene D'Arcy, H Wilson, Geo Black, M T Christie, Jas Kay, R E Henderson, Winnipeg; Rev Mr Gurd and wife, England; A Inkman, Nanaimo; J J McArthur, Ottawa; R Campbell, wife and family, Ashcroft; W W Dodd, Stanley; W E Loess, Victoria; Miss S M Cummings, do; P C Dunlevy, wife servant and two children, do.

At the Occidental—Mr and Mrs Geo Baker and boy, Tacoma; Mrs Hague and child, do; A Miller, do; E R Hill, Gleichen, Alberta; W H Row, Tacoma; C Matheson, Moodyville; Miss Jefferson, Vancouver; F P Evans, do; J Harrison, Esquimalt; W H Mulkey, Skidegate; J Butler, Skeena; Henry Goetz, Duluth; J F Orrin, Iowa; A Cresson, Alaska; H J Riner, do; G A Dundas, Junction City; Geo Taylor, Alaska.

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To Ship Carpenters.

TENDERS FOR SUNDRY REPAIRS to the Swedish ship "OTTOLINA," at Esquimalt, will be received at the office of the undersigned, on Wednesday, 26th October instant, at noon.

Specifications can be inspected on Monday, 24th inst., after two o'clock p. m.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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NOTICE.

Swedish Ship "Ottolina," from Panama.

NEITHER CAPTAIN TERNSTROM nor the undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.

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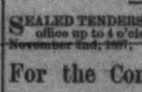

THE STEAMER
"NELL,"
Capt. W. F. Madden,
Will sail from Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf on
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At 8 p. m.
For information regarding freight apply on board. Oct21-1t

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Victoria Water Works EXTENSION.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, November 2nd, 1887,

For the Construction of a Steel Conduit Main from the Head Works at the Elk Lake Reservoir to the City of Victoria.

Specifications can be seen and particulars obtained daily, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., at the office in the City Hall.

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PETER SUMMERFIELD,
Water Commissioner.
Victoria, B. C., Oct. 20, 1887. oct21

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M. and Mme. De L'Auiniere.

CHICAGO SUNDAY TELEGRAM:—There is not a single picture that does not seem fresh from the hand of a master.

GEO. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

Furniture, Buggy, Bycicle, &c.

Monday, Oct. 24, 11 a. m.,

I have been instructed to sell by Auction at my Salesroom, Fort and Langley Streets, on account of owner's departure,

An American Buggy, Bycicle, 52-in diameter, Snider Rifle, Cut Decanters, Crests, Glassware, Tinware, Child's Iron Cot, Maple Stool, Bedsteads, Feather Bed and Pillows, Blankets, Shotting, Gunpowder, Table Cloths, Cases of Insects, Book Case, Walnut Stationery Box, Clothes Baskets, Carpets, Drawers, Crockery, Writing Desks, Tools, Lamps, 1 dozen Cane Chairs, Fender, Sofa, Garden Tools, Tables, &c. Also, Spring Wagon, Hoss and Harness.

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AUCTION.

Tuesday, Oct. 31st, 11 a. m.

Contractors' Plant

OF THE
Esquimalt Dry Dock.

I have been instructed by Messrs. LARKIN & CONNOLLY to sell by Auction, at Esquimalt, all their valuable Plant, consisting of

The Screw Steamer "Lottie,"

Two Docked Scows, 54x17.
Vertical Boiler, 2½ in. tubes, 36 in. diameter, 9 feet long.
Portable Horizontal Boiler, 2 in. tubes, 36 inch diameter, 6 feet long.
Steam Winch, by Muirhead & Coldwell of Glasgow, with two cylinders, each 7x12 in.
2 Steam Winches by Spratt, with 2 cylinders, each 6x10 inch.
Centrifugal Pump and 80 feet pipe, 4 inch.
2 Derricks, masts 25 feet, with boom 60 feet.
2 Fairbank Scales, 2500 and 600 lbs.
60 Railway Dump Cars.
Iron Railway Track.
Steel Wire Rope ⅝ inch.
60 fathom ⅝ and 25 fathom ¾ chain.
2 Crab Winches.
A quantity of Blacksmith's Tongs, Bellows, 36 inch Anvils, Chisels, Moulds, Vises, Taps and Dies, Augers, Stone Cutters, Points, Chisels and Squares, Stope Hooks, Picks, Mattocks, Steel Drills and Crowbars, Valve Rods and Bearings, Lot locks, double single and snatch, Box Chains, all sizes, Iron Sheaves, Frame and Hooks, 3 Coal Tubs, Rope, Rubber Belting, 6, 5, 4 in., quantity of Gas Piping, 1 to 1½ in.

IRON.

Feather Iron, Round Iron, ⅜, 1, 1¼, 1½, 2 inch; Square Iron, ¾; Flat Railway Iron, 2x¼ in.; Old Junk Iron.

Boarding House Utensils, Cook Stove, Range, 8 Box Stoves, Crockery, 60 pair Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Cases, &c.

2-Horse Wagon, Double and Cart Harness, Saddle, American Buggy, Horse, &c.

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